







# ANNUAL REPORTS

OF THE

## SELECTMEN

AND OTHER TOWN OFFICERS

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FOR THE YEAR ENDING

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## REPORT OF SELECTMEN

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Invoice taken April 1, 1916.

Real Estate	\$ 207,420.00
Horses, 141,	14,825.00
Oxen, 24,	1,980.00
Cows, 194,	7,881.00
Neat Stock, 38,	1,118.00
Sheep, 80,	370.00
Hogs, 1,	10.00
Fowls, 1295,	777.00
Vehicles including Automobiles, 13,	2,100.00
Boats and Launches, 2,	250.00
Wood and Lumber,	12,625.00
Bank Stock,	625.00
Money at Interest,	1,034.00
Stock in trade,	2,225.00
Mills and Machinery,	3,250.00
Portable Mills, 1,	700.00
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	\$257,190.00

Number of Poll Taxes, 114.

Soldiers' Exemptions,	\$ 5,945.00
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Rate of Taxation, \$20.00 per M.

### TAXES ASSESSED 1916.

State tax,	\$ 435.00
County tax,	608.97

## LEMPSTER TOWN REPORT

Town highways	1,000.00
Library by law	17.40
Library voted extra	32.60
Trunk line maintenance	200.00
Old state road maintenance	60.00
Old state road construction	357.00
Town expenses	800.00
School money by law	435.00
School money voted	275.00
Estimate school board for tuition	100.00
Estimate school board for supplies	50.00
Salary school board	76.50
Salary district clerk	2.50
Salary truant officer	4.00
Memorial Day	10.00
Old Home Day	10.00
Repair town hall	150.00
To pay town debt	574.00
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	\$ 5,197.97

## DISBURSEMENTS

## TOWN OFFICERS

L H Nichols selectman	\$ 50.00
E E Hurd selectman	30.00
E F Cutler selectman	25.00
W P Hodgman collector	35.00
Ralph Pollard supervisor	15.00
A K Hodgman ballot clerk	6.00



## LEMPSTER TOWN REPORT

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Frank Lovejoy	3.00
A L Benway overseer of the poor	15.00
Harold B Nichols supervisor	15.00
Frank Newton dog police	5.00
Frank Newton ballot clerk	3.00
C A Parker auditor	2.00
A W Welch town clerk	25.00
Hiram Parker moderator	5.00
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	\$ 234.00

## SEXTON'S REPORT

Frank Mason, Sexton

Opening graves and driving hearse

Ethel Moody	\$ 6.00
Gertrude Wheeler	4.00
Elmer Howe	6.00

A K Hodgman Sexton

Mrs F G Pollard	\$ 4.00
Mrs Woods	4.00
Florence Horton	4.00
Johnnie Horton	4.00
J L Tandy	4.00
Freeman Newton infant	6.00
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	\$ 42.00

## MISCELLANEOUS

Lewis Hall janitor work and oil	\$ 1.62
Wm Miller Son Co printing reports	38.22

Frank Mason janitor	3.00
E E Hurd treasurer Old Home Day	5.00
Wilmot Welch mowing cemetery	7.00
Arthur Hodgman mowing cemetery	13.00
County tax	608.97
Henry Bingham showing bounds	1.00
Roscoe Sawyer labor on Union hall	2.50
Walter Wheeler labor on Union hall	2.20
Ralph Pollard labor and supplies for hall	9.05
E C Eastman tax book and supplies	3.51
L H Nichols lumber for town hall	1.00
C O Barney order book	1.00
A K Hodgman janitor	4.00
A K Hodgman supplies for hall	1.67
A K Hodgman labor and supplies for repairing hall	5.25
A K Hodgman putting up voting booth	2.00
W E Clark M D reporting births and deaths	3.25
W E Clark M D expense of vaccination	30.75
Lewis Hall janitor Union hall	2.84
H Parker & Son supplies for Union hall	3.10
A L Benway damage to sheep by dogs	20.00
E C Eastman journal and warrants	2.30
State tax	435.00
L H Nichols postage telephone stationary	6.68
E F Cutler entertainment town officers	4.50
J F Wheeler moving and housing snow roller	3.00
E E Hurd labor and removing trees	1.75
E E Hurd postage telephone and expense to tax commis- sion meeting	2.34
E E Hurd entertainment of town officers	8.83
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	\$ 1,234.38



## BREAKING ROADS

Chas Romania	\$ 1.60
Joe Bussiere	6.67
Arthur Armstrong	15.94
Walter Thayer	3.54
Clifton Baker	27.16
W A Putnam	8.00
A L Benway	23.80
Wm George	3.62
Ulric Levasseur	1.41
W S Kempton	18.92
J F Wheeler	9.20
Chas Vigneau	5.33
A C Wade	8.78
Henry LaFrance	6.50
L H Nichols	12.50
H Magoon	.80
Geo Delphond estate	5.00
Percy Dennet	10.00
O C Huntley	5.40
W P Hodgman	12.90
W D Thurber	4.25
A K Hodgman	5.33
I H Hodgman	6.67
C G Baker	18.66
F A Barton	12.80
W A Perkins	2.67
Harold Nichols	3.50
E F Cutler	3.87
Marcus Allen	9.92
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	\$ 255.54

## LEMPSTER TOWN REPORT

## OVERSEER OF THE POOR

A L Benway	\$ 274.34
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## FIRE WARDEN

F A Barton	\$ 184.00
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## FIRST NATIONAL BANK

Interest on notes	\$ 50.00
Note and interest	1,026.25
Note and interest	1,011.66
Interest on notes	52.50
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	\$ 2,140.41

## BOARD OF HEALTH

A K Hodgman fumigating	\$ 2.00
Alton Hodgman fumigating	2.00
H Parker & Son 1 gallon formaldehyde	2.50
F W Huntoon supplies for infantile paralysis case	10.00
F W Huntoon expense for measels telephone and postage	9.84
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	\$ 26.34

## BOUNTY ON HEDGEHOGS AND WILDCATS

L H Nichols	\$ 16.80
E E Hurd	14.60
E F Cutler	5.00
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	\$ 36.40



## TRUNK LINE MAINTENANCE

E F Cutler patrolman	\$ 994.06
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MAINTENANCE AND CONSTRUCTION OF  
STATE AID ROAD

E E Hurd	\$ 967.99
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## TOWN HIGHWAYS

Herman Moody	\$ 402.45
A L Benway	386.59
C H Pitkin	390.64
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	\$ 1,179.68

## SCHOOLS

J F Wheeler district treasurer	\$ 1,389.70
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## TOWN LIBRARY

C A Parker	\$ 50.00
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## TRUNK LINE CONSTRUCTION

Town of Croydon cement	\$ 139.13
Henry Vigneau	4.00
Herman Moody	4.00
L H Nichols	7.70
E L Lovejoy	45.00
L H Nichols	23.60
E L Lovejoy	35.00
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	\$ 258.43

## TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS

Honey fund	\$ 300.00
Interest on Ara Way fund	15.66
Interest on Hurd fund	5.83
Interest on Hosley fund	10.50
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	\$ 331.99

## REPORT OF OVERSEER OF POOR

## May settlement 1916

George R Gassett

Paid H Parker & Son	\$ 21.75
“ W E Clark M D	16.25
Due from county Feb 15 1916	39.85
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	\$ 77.85
<i>Received from county and paid town treasurer</i>	77.85

## November settlement

George R Gassett

Paid W E Clark M D	\$ 21.25
“ H Parker & Son	41.09
“ F A Barton wood	2.50
“ A L Benway wood	2.00
“ C H Edmunds	10.50
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	\$ 77.34
<i>Received from county and paid town treasurer</i>	77.34



## LEMPSTER TOWN REPORT

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Paid Lewis Hall caring for eight tramps	\$ 4.00
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Azubah Crosby

Paid F P Claggett	50.00
“ Newton Brothers	25.00
“ I H Hodgman	2.00
“ W E Clark M D	41.00
“ Louise M Clark R N	37.00
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	\$ 155.00

<i>Feb 14 1917 Received from county and paid town treasurer</i>	155.00
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A L BENWAY Overseer of Poor

## REPORT OF TOWN CLERK

Male dogs licensed for full year 32	\$64.00
Female dogs licensed for full year 4	20.00
One dog part of year	3.75
One dog part of year	1.17
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	\$ 88.92
38 license fees retained by Clerk	7.60
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<i>Balance paid to treasurer,</i>	\$ 81.32

ARTHUR W WELCH Town Clerk

## REPORT OF TAX COLLECTOR

Uncollected on tax of 1913 on Feb 15 1916	\$ 22.30
Abated	\$ 5.29
Uncollected Feb 15 1917	17.01
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	\$ 22.30

Uncollected on tax of 1914 on Feb 15 1916	\$ 66.73
Abated	\$ 30.05
Collected	12.87
Uncollected Feb 15 1917	23.81

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\$ 66.73

Interest	2.27
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Uncollected on tax of 1915 Feb 15 1916	\$ 625.00
Abated	\$ 5.73
Collected	497.11
Uncollected Feb 15 1917	122.16

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\$ 625.00

Interest paid	8.78
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Taxes assessed 1916	\$5,373.80
Abated	\$ 12.00
Collected	4,631.62
Uncollected Feb 15 1917	730.18

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\$5,373.80

Interest paid	3.90
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W P HODGMAN Collector



## REPORT OF HERMAN MOODY ROAD AGENT

Frank Mason	\$ 3.50
A K Hodgman	14.10
Fred Sherrette	3.50
Harry Newton	1.75
Freeman Newton	3.50
Geo Bussier	6.75
W S Kempton	23.50
Arthur Wade	12.00
L H Nichols	24.00
Fred Thornton	1.75
Bert Ferry	14.00
Lawrence Hodgman	15.75
Wilmot Welch	14.00
Ulric Levasseur	10.50
C E Allen	8.75
Henry McKenzie	5.35
M E Morse	3.50
Chas Horton	16.63
I H Hodgman	8.42
H B Nichols	7.00
Geo Scribner	6.13
Orrison Huntley	4.00
A W Armstrong	1.00
Frank Newton for gravel	2.00
Dynamite fuse and caps	5.12
Joe Bussier	6.75
H Moody	160.00
L H Nichols	19.20
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	\$ 402.45

## REPORT OF A L BENWAY ROAD AGENT

Herbert Magoon	\$ 16.80
Fred Cummings	21.80
Floyd W Putnam	7.50
W A Putnam	27.00
C W McLaughlin	34.40
A C Wade	26.60
B J Emmons	43.00
Lester Emmons	18.75
Burt Kate	2.00
Geo Quimby	10.00
F A Barton	4.00
Wilmot Welch	8.00
J F Wheeler	10.00
W G Wheeler	1.20
W A Perkins	.60
A L Benway	93.80
W A Putnam gravel	4.70
W A Putnam plank and timber	32.89
C W McLaughlin gravel	19.75
Geo Quimby gravel	1.30
D Paul gravel	2.50
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	\$ 386.59

## REPORT OF C H PITKIN ROAD AGENT

C H Pitkin	\$ 91.50
Dynamite caps and fuse	7.75
Bridge timber and plank	6.00
Geo Scribner	45.50
Fred Sherrette	5.25

## LEMPSTER TOWN REPORT

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C E Allen	27.94
Joseph Carcarson	8.75
Lewis Allen	5.25
Robert Pitkin	31.50
Albert Ferry	25.07
Willard Hamlin	19.82
Herman Moody	33.14
Henry LaFrance	33.14
Eldred and Floyd LaFrance	29.14
Mark Allen	9.89
Herbert Magoon	3.50
James O Clair	3.50
Elbert E Hurd	4.00

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 \$ 390.64

## STATE ROAD

L H Nichols	\$ 13.09
Erastus Lovejoy	40.00
F M Lovejoy	40.00
Herman Moody	4.00
Henry Vigneau	4.00
Boston & Maine freight	2.10
Silsby & Johnson oil	16.20
Treasurer town of Croyden	139.13

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 \$ 258.43

## MAINTENANCE ON TRUNK LINE

## E F Cutler Patrolman

E F Cutler	\$ 564.42
W A Perkins	189.97
G H Straw	73.35



Edgar Straw	31.55
B J Emmons	21.00
M E Morse	18.84
Ulric Levasseur	28.03
H M Bingham	15.56
C H Cragin	3.11
Lester Emmons	3.00
Fred Thornton	14.78
L H Nichols	8.00
Lawrence Hodgman	1.75
J E Martin gravel	9.35
Frank Newton gravel	2.70
A W Welch gravel	2.20
J G Pike gravel	1.85
J F Wheeler gravel	.70
H Moody fixing scraper	2.50
H C Vigneau for posts	1.40
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	\$ 994.06

## STATE AID ROAD CONSTRUCTION

E E Hurd	\$ 56.32
Lucius Nichols	33.22
A C Wade	67.33
Wilson Kempton	53.33
Warren Manning	39.56
Joe Bussiere	40.66
James O'Clair	32.44
Wilmot Welch	31.22
Fred Cummings	25.58
H A Cate	25.47
Chas McLoughlin	28.00
Lewis Allen	23.83

## LEMPSTER TOWN REPORT

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Lester Emmons	23.00
Clifford Wade	19.83
Herbert Magoon	18.58
Ralph Pollard	6.66
Willard Hamlin	5.25
George McKenzie	6.15
Edgar Allen	3.50
C A Parker	2.50
Lawrence Hodgman	1.75
Guy Ferry	.87
Harold Nichols	.58
Planks	12.48
Engineering	26.94
Culverts	77.88
Lanterns care and expense	6.96
W Putnam drawing cement	12.90
Fencing	1.50
Cement	43.05
Iron pipe	2.70
Dynamite	10.50
F A Barton lumber	33.46
H Parker & Son supplies	5.60
E L Sarsons gravel	5.65
S Matheson “	16.10
C McLaughlin “	1.90
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	\$ 803.25

## STATE AID ROAD MAINTENANCE

E E Hurd	\$ 57.81
Lucius Nichols	10.00
A C Ferry	20.11

Willard Hamlin	15.76
Chas McLaughlin	24.00
Warren Manning	16.00
W D Thurber	16.00
Wilson Kempton	16.00
Fred Cummings	14.49
James O'Clair	11 72
Clifton Baker	8.00
Ralph Pollard	7.50
Lewis Allen	7.00
George Scribner	5.25
Wm Horton	5.25
Herbert Magoon	5.25
Lawrence Hodgman	4.37
A C Wade	4.00
Henry LaFrance	4.00
E C Allen	2.62
Lewis Hall	1.75
Eldred LaFrance	1.75
Floyd LaFrance	1.75
Lester Emmons	4.50
Wilmot Welch	3.50
Freight on culvert	1.00
Gravel	2.70
Silsby & Johnson	1.70
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	\$ 273.78



## TREASURERS REPORT

## Receipts

Cash on hand	\$ 899.32
Received rent of hall at Street	13.00
Sullivan county pauper claims	310.19
State highway department	1,505.29
Bounty on hedgehogs and wildcats	36.40
Railroad tax	5.08
Savings bank tax	160.57
Literary fund	38.64
Proportion of school fund	282.00
Forest fire bills	113.44
A W Welch dog licenses	81.32
A W Welch fees for candidates	6.00
Draper Co rent of school land	2.50
Champlain Realty Co	4.84
A L Benway rent of school land	2.41
H Moody dynamite	.52
E E Hurd cash returned on state aid maintenance	6.78
Borrowed from First National Bank	1,600.00
W P Hodgman collector	5,141.60
W P Hodgman interest on taxes 1914-15-16	14.91
W P Hodgman return on Howard sale	1.33
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	\$ 10,226.14
Orders drawn	9,599.26
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<i>Balance in treasury</i>	\$ 626.88

F W HUNTOON Treasurer

STATEMENT OF JOINT FUND ACCOUNT

Trunk Line Construction

State contribution	\$ 429.32	
Town contribution	52.38	
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State disbursements	\$ 91.79	
Town disbursements	258.43	
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Balance in state treasury	\$ 122.96	
Balance in town treasury	8.42	
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## RECAPITULATION

Town officers	\$ 234.00
Miscellaneous	1,234.38
Town highways	1,179.68
Breaking roads	255.54
Construction trunk line	258.43
Maintenance trunk line	994.06
Construction state aid road	694.21
Maintenance state aid road	273.78
Bounties	36.40
Overseer of the poor	274.34
Support of Schools	1,389.70
Sexton	42.00
Notes and interest	2,140.41
Forest fires	184.00
Board of Health	26.34
Trustees of trust funds	331.99
Library	50.00
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	\$ 9,599.26

## ASSETS FEBRUARY 15 1917

Cash in hands of treasurer	\$ 626.88
Due from W P Hodgman collector 1913	17.01
Due from W P Hodgman collector 1914	23.81
Due from W P Hodgmon collector 1915	122.16
Due from W P Hodgman collector 1916	730.18
Due from Draper Co School land rent	5.00
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	\$ 1,525.04



## LIABILITIES

Notes at First National Bank		\$ 1,600.00
Note to trust fund trustees for Harvy cemetery fund		300.00
Note to trust fund trustees for Asa Way school fund		447.50
Note to trust fund trustees for Hurd school fund		166.66
Unexpended balance trunk line construction fund		8.42
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		\$ 2,522.58
Total liabilities	\$ 2,522.58	
Total assets	<hr/> 1,525.04	
Town debt Feb 15 1917		\$ 997.54
Town debt Feb 15 1916		998.52
<i>Decrease of town debt</i>		\$ .98

Were it not for the new law obliging towns to give notes for all trust funds, the town debt would have been decreased this year by \$614.16, the sum of the two notes for the Way and Hurd funds included in the above liabilities.

LUCIUS H NICHOLS	} Selectmen of
ELBERT E HURD	
ERNEST F CUTLER	
	Lempster

*I hereby certify that I have examined the accounts of the Selectmen, Treasurer, Overseer of the Poor and Road Agents and find them correct.*

CARL A PARKER Auditor

## FOREST FIRE BILL

## F A Barton Fire Warden

F A Barton	\$ 6.88
E E Hurd	2.50
E F Cutler	2.00
J A Hall	3.00
R F Pollard	3.00
G R Gassett	4.00
C Pollard	3.00
E L Lovejoy	1.50
Frank Lovejoy	3.00
C H Pitkin	6.00
Robert Pitkin	6.00
Frank Mason	3.00
March Clark	2.00
Charles Clark	1.00
A E Clark	1.00
H S Hooper	1.00
P L Dennett	1.38
H C Vigneau	1.50
Fred Sherette	3.00
A C Wade	2.50
Clifford Wade	2.00
Frank Newton	6.00
Freeman Newton	2.00
Harry Newton	2.50
W S Kempton	3.75
C H Huntoon	2.63
Ed Allen	3.50
Burt Ferry	4.00
C A Cragin	.50

Moses Morse	3.00
Henry LaFrance	1.25
Floyd LaFrance	1.50
Eugene LaFrance	1.25
W A Perkins	2.75
A L Benway	1.00
Leslie Matheson	2.00
Henry McKenzie	1.50
George McKenzie	1.50
W D Thurber	3.25
Roscoe Sawyer	.50
Fred Thornton	2.50
Herman Moody	1.00
C A Parker	1.50
J F Wheeler	2.00
George Quimby	1.00
Arthur Armstrong	5.50
George Crossman	1.50
Ben Crosby	1.75
Eugene Densmore	1.50
Lawrence Hodgman	3.50
Joe LaFountain	3.00
L H Nichols	2.25
H B Nichols	2.25
Joe Bussier	2.75
Harry Kemp	1.00
W Gee	1.00
Charles Russell	1.00
Henry Neal	1.00
L C Booth	1.00
M O Baker	3.00
C G Baker	3.00
George Leslie	3.00



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George Scribner	2.62
Ulric Levasseur	2.00
O P Huntley	2.00
W A Bowen	1.00
Walter Murgataryd	2.62
W H Horton	2.62
W W Welch	1.50
Dan Champney	3.00
Perley Champney	2.50
Herbert Magoon	3.00
Don Champney	2.50
Victor Barton	1.25
H Neal	.50
C H Pitkin food	2.50
E L Lovejoy food	.50
E F Cutler food	2.75
H S Hooper food	1.50
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	\$ 184.00

F A BARTON Fire Warden

# REPORT OF SCHOOL AND CEMETERY TRUSTEES

For year ending February 15, 1917

Asa Way fund invested in town note, amount \$447.56, interest at  $3\frac{1}{2}$  percent.

Henry Hurd fund invested in town note, amount \$166.66, interest at  $3\frac{1}{2}$  percent.

Charles Booth fund invested in Newport Savings Bank amount \$500.00, interest at  $3\frac{1}{2}$  percent.

Duren S. Honey fund, amount \$300.00, interest at  $3\frac{1}{2}$  percent. \$150.00 invested in Newport Savings Bank, \$150.00 invested in Sugar River Savings Bank.

Almon Booth fund invested in Newport Savings Bank, amount \$100.00, interest at  $3\frac{1}{2}$  percent.

Frank B. Davis fund invested in Newport Savings Bank, amount \$75.00, interest at  $3\frac{1}{2}$  percent.

James G. Hosley fund invested in town note, amount \$300.00, interest at  $3\frac{1}{2}$  percent.

Received as interest		\$ 148.95
Paid for work in cemetery	\$ 11.26	
Paid to school treasurer	21.49	
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Balance on hand		<hr/> \$ 116.20

HIRAM PARKER,	} School and Cemetery Trustees
ARTHUR L. BENWAY,	
F. A. BARTON,	

# SCHOOL REPORT

DISTRICT OF  
LEMPSTER, N. H.

1917

## SCHOOL TREASURERS REPORT

## Receipts

Balance from last year	\$ 199.27
Required by law	435.00
School money voted extra	275.00
Salary school officers	76.50
Literary fund	38.64
For qualified teachers	190.00
State aid for average attendance	62.00
Tuition rebate from state	30.00
Dog license from year 1915	67.80
Interest on Asa Way fund	15.66
Interest on Hurd fund	5.83
Rent of school land	14.76
High school tuition recommended	100.00
Repairs and supplies	50.00
Floor in south school house	50.00
Tuition Waldo Neal	6.00
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	\$ 1,616.46
Paid orders of School Board	1,539.86
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Balance in treasury	\$ 76.60

JOHN F. WHEELER, School District Treasurer



## Teachers Salaries

Susie B Hurd teaching 31 weeks	\$ 217.00
Susie C Benway teaching 31 weeks	217.00
Mary A Nichols teaching 31 weeks	217.00
Ethel G Pollard teaching 31 weeks	217.00
Susie B Hurd 31 weeks State money	62.00
Ethel G Pollard 31 weeks State money	62.00
Mary A Nichols 33 weeks State money	66.00
Susie B Hurd error in State money 1915	2.00
Ethel G Pollard error in State money 1915	2.00
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	\$ 1,062.00

## Officers Salaries

Arthur W Welch District Clerk	\$ 2.50
Lewis A Hall. Truant Officer	4.00
John F Wheeler Treasurer	5.00
Arthur W Welch School Board	20.00
Elbert E Hurd School Board	20.00
Elvia M Cutler School Board	25.00
Harold Nichols Auditor	1.00
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	77.50

## High School Tuition

Walter Beckwith 1 term	\$ 12.00
Ella Cragin 2 terms	17.50
Alberta Felch 3 terms	30.84
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	\$ 60.34

## Wood

A C Wade $2\frac{1}{2}$ cords	\$ 12.50
F A Barton 1 cord	5.00
J F Wheeler $\frac{3}{4}$ cord	3.00
W P Hodgman $2\frac{1}{4}$ cords	11.25
L H Nichols 3 cords	15.00
E E Hurd	.78
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	\$ 47.53

## Janitor Work

William F Horton	\$ 2.79
Martti Wirkkala	1.21
Alma Barton	4.00
Mae Ellison	1.33
George Ferry	1.33
Harold Spaulding	1.34
Susie B Hurd	4.00
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	\$ 16.00

## School Supplies

E E Babb & Co. supplies	\$ 14.89
Ginn & Co. supplies	11.08
Silsby & Johnson supplies	6.63
E E Hurd supplies	8.28
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	\$ 40.88

## Repairs

Elmer Barton laying floor South school	\$ 13.00
Franklin P Rowell flooring	25.02
Frank Hodgman glass floor oil	1.25
A W Welch repairs East village	12.71
Frank Lovejoy painting black boards	1.50
E E Hurd lumber	2.12
Franklin P Rowell 5 M shingles	19.25
Franklin P Rowell flooring	100.00
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	\$ 174.85

## Miscellaneous

School order book	\$ .94
Tuition Mafas children	6.60
Mrs Alice Straw cleaning 2 school houses	2.00
George Straw drawing flooring	2.00
Mrs Sarah Straw cleaning 1 school house	1.50
James O'Clair labor	1.00
Tuition Impi Mattilla	13.00
Catharine A Putnam transportation	19.50
Tuition Johnson children	6.60
Mrs Elmer Barton cleaning 1 school house	1.25
E E Hurd telephone and postage	.47
E E Hurd freight and express	1.74
W D Thurber drawing wood	2.40
Lewis Allen putting in wood	.75
Lewis Hall cleaning stove pipe	.50
J F Wheeler postage	.51
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	\$ 60.76

## RECAPITULATION

Teachers Salaries		\$ 1,062.00
Officers salaries		77.50
High School tuition		60.34
Wood		47.53
Janitor work		1600
School supplies		40.88
Repairs		174.85
Miscellaneous		60.76
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		\$ 1,539.86
Total receipts	\$ 1,616.46	
Total expenditures	1,539.86	
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Cash on hand		\$ 76.60

ELVIA M. CUTLER, }  
 ELBERT E. HURD, } School Board  
 ARTHUR W. WELCH, } of Lempster

Money for payment high school tuition	\$100.00
Money for text books and supplies	50.00
Money for flags and appurtenances	10.00

*I hereby certify that I have examined the accounts of the School Board and School Treasurer and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.*

*HAROLD B. NICHOLS, Auditor.*



## REPORT OF LIBRARY TRUSTEES

## Receipts

Cash on hand February 15 1916	\$ 22.39	
Received from town	50.00	
Received from fines	.67	
	<hr/>	\$ 73.06

## Expenditures

38 new books	\$ 19.60	
Services of librarian	15.00	
Express	.50	
Oil chimneys ect	.88	
	<hr/>	\$ 35.98
Balance in hands of trustees		<hr/> \$ 37.08

Number of books February 15 1916	1367
Number of books purchased during year	38
Number of books loaned during year	812

ARTHUR W. WELCH,	}	Library Trustees
CARL A. PARKER		
H. S. HOOPER,		



# VITAL STATISTICS

Registered in the

Town of

LEMPSTER, N. H.

for the Year Ending

DECEMBER 31, 1916

Births Registered in the Town of Lempster, N. H. for the year ending December 31, 1916.

Date	Name of Child (if any)	Sex	Living or Stillborn	No. Child	Color	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Color	Parents Residence	Occupation of Father	Father's Birthplace	Mother's Birthplace
Mch 9	Evelyn Abbie	F	L	4	W	George Delphond	Odiana Couture	W	Lempster	Lumberman	Canada	St Mary Canada
14	Evelyn Abbie	F	L	4	W	William D Thurbert	Nina L Hunt	W	"	Farmer	Lempster	Plainfield
May 20	Harris Hurbert	M	L	5	W	William H Nichols	Beatrice Harris	W	"	"	"	St Johns N B
28	Wilson S Jr	M	L	1	W	Lucius S Kempton	Henrietta Fuller	W	"	"	Marlow	Hartford Vt
June 7	Alfred Oran	M	L	1	W	Oran D Short	Eva L Macie	W	"	Laborer	Claremont	Walpole
Aug 21	Ernest Roscoe	M	L	4	W	Roscoe W Sawyer	Nora A Platynor	W	"	Farmer	Henniker	Gilsum
Nov 14	Charles Edward	M	L	1	W	Chas E Murdough	Fannie M Newton	W	Marlow	Teamster	Marlow	Walpole



Marriages Registered in the Town of Lempster, N. H. for the year ending December 31, 1916.

Date	Place of Marriage	Name of Groom and Bride	Residence of Each	Age	Color	Occupation of Each	Birthplace of Each	Names of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Occupation of Parents	No. of Mar
Mar 24	Newport	William H George	Lempster	21		Farmer	Newport	Ervin A George Grace I Burns	Springfield Vt Claremont	Barber At Home	1
		Mildred H Foss	Goshen	20		School Tchr	Lancstr Mass	Elmer C Foss Hannah Honson	Cambridge Mass Litchfield Minn	Farmer At Home	1
Aug 26	Nashua	Leo P Hodgman	Lempster	27	All	Laborer	Lempster	Arthur K Hodgman Nellie M Hurd	Lempster Lempster	Laborer At Home	1
		Claiasa B Fielden	Hollis	20	White	Domestic	Whitmn Mass	Joseph H Fielden Julia A Benjamin	Centerville N S White Rock N S	Laborer At Home	1
Dec 24	E Lempster	Joseph S Martineau	Somerset Vt	25		Cook	Live Ca	Edward Martineau Evangeline Renaud	St Jents Ca St Clare Ca	Farmer At Home	1
		Pauline A Spaulding	Lempster	17		At Home	Manchester	Erdrinand M Spaulding Mary Stringer	Marlow Montreal Ca	Steam Engineer At Home	1

Deaths Registered in the Town of Lempster, N. H. for the year ending December 31, 1916.

Date	Name of Deceased	Age			Birthplace	Sex	Color	Condition	Occupation	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
		Years	Months	Days									
Jan 6	Mary F Bruce Welch	52	11	10	Lempster	F	W	M	At Home	Mason	Ashby Mass	Cyrus H Hodgman	Nancy E Roberts
Feb 16	Ethel Irene Moody	10	5	10	Lempster	F	W	S	At Home	Lempster	Marlow	Herman Moody	Lettie F Kempton
Feb 20	Gertrude L Wheeler	49	8	14	Taunton Mass	F	W	M	At Home	Rochester	Nw Bdfrd Mass	Frank W Huntton	Abbie Allen
Apr 19	Elmer E Howe	54	7	18	Sullivan	M	W	S	Farmer	Acworth	Swanzy	Francis C Howe	Sarah H Bates
Mch 23	Azubah R Crosby	22	12	6	Andover	F	W	S	Domestic	Cornish	Penacook	Ora H Crosby	Eunice P Chandler
June 11	Sylvia E Pollard	73	7	13	Washington	F	W	W	At Home			Chauncy Frnswrth	
July 26	Daniel W Williams	80	4	0	Weston Mass	M	W	M	pres Am Crayn Co	Marlboro Mass	Weston Mass	John Williams	Ruth Travis
Sept 2	Florence E Horton	7	11	10	Lempster	F	W	S	At Home	St Johns N B	Dorchstr Mass	William H Horton	Annie J Cominilla
Sept 11	Judson L Tandy	79	11	29	Groton	M	W	S	Carpenter	Goshen	Washington	Ahal Tandy	Sarah Wood
Sept 12	John A Horton	5	4	29	Lempster	M	W	S	At Home	St Johns N B	Dorchstr Mass	William H Horton	Annie J Cominilla
Oct 17	James E Armstrong	78	11	15	Sutton	M	W	W	Farmer	Windham		James Armstrong	Alice Kidder
Oct 18	George Delphond	42	2	8	Canada	M	W	M	Lumberman	Canada		Charles Delphond	
Feb 16	Sarah Gee	74	2	13	Lempster	F	W	W	At Home	Peterboro	Acworth	Otis Field	Theda Keyes
July 3	Alzina C Stafford	87	0	12	Pomfret Vt	F	W	W	At Home			Thomas Cerlver	Hannah Tripper

<sup>1</sup>Died at Hillsboro, N. H.

<sup>2</sup>Died at Concord, N. H.

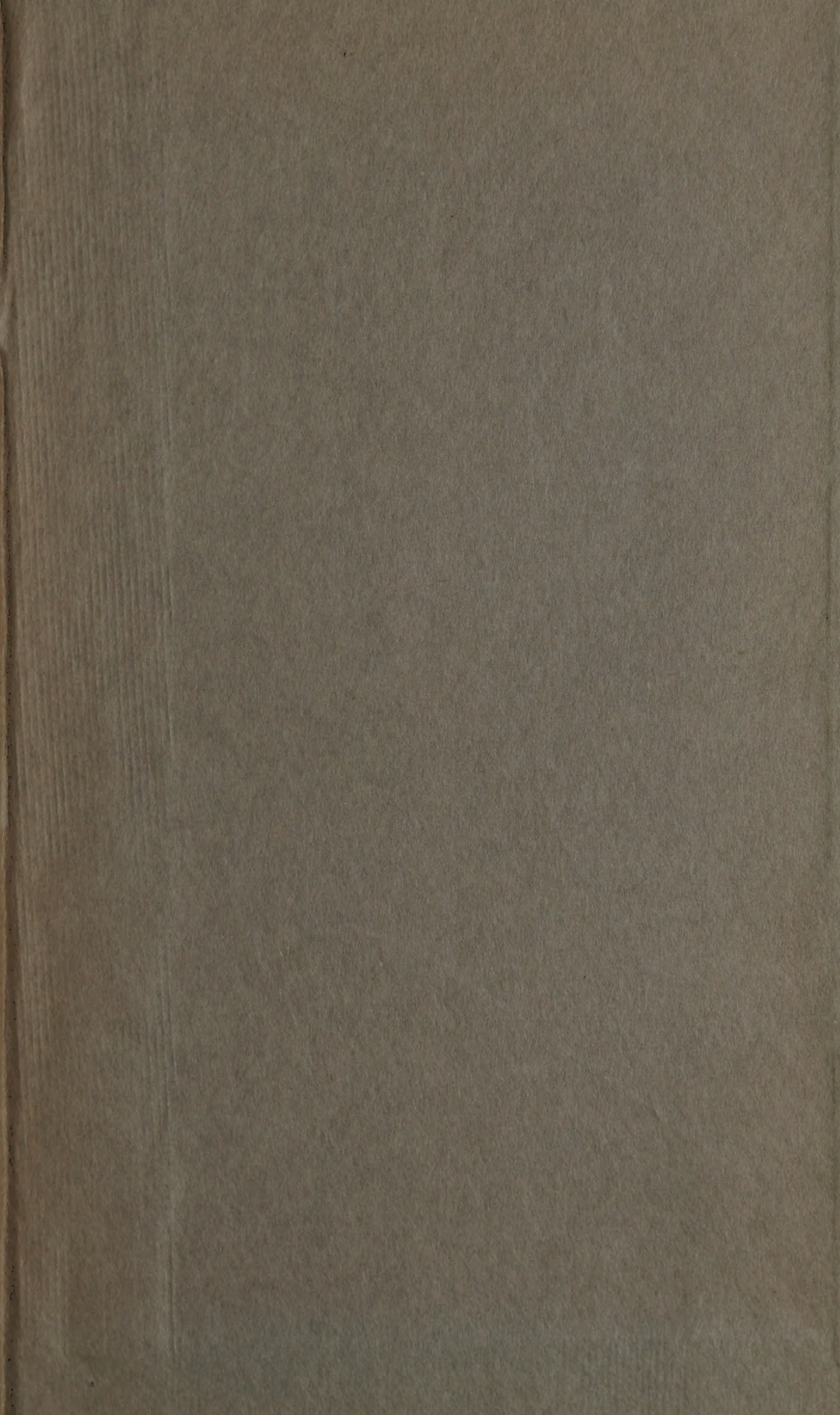
I hereby certify that the above returns are correct according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

ARTHUR W. WELCH, Town Clerk.











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